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(preparation of nitric oxide releasing prodrugs of diaryl-2(5H)-furanones as cyclooxygenase-2 inhibitors)

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CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[2-[[[[4,5-bis(nitrooxy)pentyl]oxy]carbonyl]ox y]-1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]ethylidene]-, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

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RN 861430-35-5 CAPLUS

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Double bond geometry as shown.

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Double bond geometry as shown.

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Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 861430-36-6 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[2-[[[2,3-bis(nitrooxy)propoxy]carbonyl]oxy]-1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]ethylidene]-, ethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 861430-38-8 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[2-[[[2,3-bis(nitrooxy)propoxy]carbonyl]oxy]-1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]ethylidene]-, phenylmethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)-(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

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Title compds. I [R1 = S(0)2CH3, S(0)2NH2, S(0)2NHC(=0)CF3, etc.; R2, R3 = H, halo, alkoxy, etc.; R4 = H, (un)substituted alkyl, e.g., halo, Ph, naphthyl, etc.; R5 = NOx, C(=0)-E-alkyl-W-NOx, C(=0)-E-alkyl-Ar-alkyl-W-NOx; x = 1, 2; E = bond, O, S, etc.; W = O, S, C[CO2Rb]2; Ar = (un)substituted Ph, naphthyl, HET3; HET3 = benzimidazolyl, benzofuranyl, benzopyrazolyl, etc.; Rb = (un)substituted alkyl, Ph, naphthyl, etc.] and their pharmaceutically acceptable salts were prepared For example, allylic bromination of Me (2E)-3-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-phenylbut-2-enoate, e.g., prepared from 1-(4-methanesulfonylphenyl)ethanone in 2 steps, followed

by O-alkylation of AgNO3 afforded nitrate ester I [ R1 = 4-S(0) 2CH3; R2, R3 = H; R4 = CH3; R5 = NO2] in 23% overall yield. In human whole blood LPS induced PGE2 and TXB2 production assays, compds. I have a COX-2 potency and COX-2/COX-1 selectivity comparable to rofecoxib. In paw edema assays in rat, compound I [ R1 = 4-S(0) 2CH3; R2, R3 = H; R4 = CH3; R5 = CO2(CH2)4ONO2] exhibited 42-79% inhibition of pain at 1-30 mg/kg dosage. Of note, compds. I are prodrugs of rofecoxib analogs and are claimed useful for the treatment of chronic COX-2 mediated diseases, while reducing the risk of thrombotic cardiovascular events. Compds. I are useful for treatments of osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, and chronic pain.

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(preparation of nitric oxide releasing diarylfuranone prodrugs as selective cyclooxygenase-2 inhibitors for treatment of inflammatory diseases)

RN 654069-13-3 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2- (nitrooxy)ethylidene]-, methyl ester, ( $\alpha$ E)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

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(preparation of nitric oxide releasing diarylfuranone prodrugs as selective cyclooxygenase-2 inhibitors for treatment of inflammatory diseases)

RN 654068-74-3 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-

(nitrooxy)ethylidene]-, methyl ester,  $(\alpha Z)$ - (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-76-5 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[4-

(nitrooxy)butoxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, methyl ester,  $(\alpha Z)$ -(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-77-6 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[6-(nitrooxy)-1-oxohexyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-79-8 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[6-(nitrooxy)-1-oxohexyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, methyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-81-2 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[4-

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 (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-82-3 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[6-(nitrooxy)hexyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CAINDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-83-4 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[6-(nitrooxy)hexyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, methyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)-(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-84-5 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[6-(nitrooxy)hexyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, ethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)-(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-85-6 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[6-(nitrooxy)-1-oxohexyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, 2-(diethylamino)ethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)-(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-86-7 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[6-(nitrooxy)-1-oxohexyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, (1S)-2-(1,1-dimethylethoxy)-1-methyl-2-oxoethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Absolute stereochemistry.

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-87-8 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[6-(nitrooxy)-1-oxohexyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, (1S)-1-carboxyethyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Absolute stereochemistry.

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-88-9 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[5-(nitrooxy)pentyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, methyl ester, ( $\alpha$ Z)-(9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

RN 654068-89-0 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid,  $\alpha$ -[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[5-

(nitrooxy)pentyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, 2-(diethylamino)ethylester, monohydrochloride,  $(\alpha Z)$ - (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Double bond geometry as shown.

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RN 654069-07-5 CAPLUS

CN Benzeneacetic acid, α-[1-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-[[[[5-(nitrooxy)pentyl]oxy]carbonyl]oxy]ethylidene]-, (αΖ)- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

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Title compds. I [X = (CH2)n; n = 3-6; R1 = SO2Me, SO2NH2, SO2NHCOCF3, etc.; R2, R3 = H, halo, alkoxy, etc.; R4 = CO-alkyl, CO(CH2)mNR5R6; m = 1-4; R5, R6 = H, halo-substituted alkyl] and their pharmaceutically acceptable salts were prepared For example, O-alkylation of AgNO3 by bromide II (Z = Br), e.g., prepared from Rofecoxib in 6-steps, afforded nitrooxyhexyl II (Z = -ONO2). In human blood PGE2 inhibition production assays, nitrooxyhexyl II (Z = -ONO2) exhibited an IC50 value of 0.22 μM. Of note, the "unconverted prodrugs" of compds. I are inactive inhibitors of COX-1 and COX-2 activity. Compds. I are claimed useful for the treatment of cyclooxygenase-2 mediated diseases or conditions.

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The title compds. I [R1 = SO2Me, etc.; R2, R3 = H, halo, etc.; R4 = NOm, etc.; m = 1 or 2] are prepared. The above compds. may be used as a combination therapy with low-dose aspirin to treat chronic cyclooxygenase-2 mediated diseases while simultaneously reducing the risk of thrombotic cardiovascular events.

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AB Title compds. I [R1 = S(0)2CH3, S(0)2NH2, S(0)2NHC(=0)CF3, etc.; R2, R3 =
H, halo, alkoxy, etc.; R4 = H, (un)substituted alkyl, e.g., halo, Ph,
naphthyl, etc.; R5 = NOx, C(=0)-E-alkyl-W-NOx, C(=0)-E-alkyl-Ar-alkyl-WNOx; x = 1, 2; E = bond, O, S, etc.; W = O, S, C[CO2Rb]2; Ar =
(un)substituted Ph, naphthyl, HET3; HET3 = benzimidazolyl, benzofuranyl,
benzopyrazolyl, etc.; Rb = (un)substituted alkyl, Ph, naphthyl, etc.] and
their pharmaceutically acceptable salts were prepared For example, allylic

bromination of Me (2E)-3-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-2-phenylbut-2-enoate, e.g., prepared from 1-(4-methanesulfonylphenyl)ethanone in 2 steps, followed by O-alkylation of AgNO3 afforded nitrate ester I [R1 = 4-S(O)2CH3; R2, R3 = H; R4 = CH3; R5 = NO2] in 23% overall yield. In human whole blood LPS induced PGE2 and TXB2 production assays, compds. I have a COX-2 potency and COX-2/COX-1 selectivity comparable to rofecoxib. In paw edema assays in rat, compound I [R1 = 4-S(O)2CH3; R2, R3 = H; R4 = CH3; R5 = CO2(CH2)4ONO2] exhibited 42-79% inhibition of pain at 1-30 mg/kg dosage. Of note, compds. I are prodrugs of rofecoxib analogs and are claimed useful for the treatment of chronic COX-2 mediated diseases, while reducing the risk of thrombotic cardiovascular events. Compds. I are useful for treatments of osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, and chronic pain.

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